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SUBJECT: BOMBING OF CUBAN EMBASSY AT LISBON

BOMBING OF CUBAN EMBASSY AT LISBON, PORTUGAL, ON APRIL 22, 1976.
ON APRIL 23, 1976, UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL, MIAMI,
FLORDIA, RECEIVED A SPECIAL DELIVERY LETTER POSTMARKED
MIAMI, FLORDIA, WHICH CONTAINED A COMMUNICATION, IN SPANISH,
FROM THE EJERCITO SECRETO DE CUBA (SECRET ARMY OF CUBA).

UPI MADE AVAILABLE THE COMMUNICATION TO FBI, MIAMI,
WHICH WAS TRANSLATED INTO ENGLISH AS FOLLOWS:

"SECRET ARMY OF CUBA COMMUNIQUE NO. 1. THE SECRET
ARMY OF CUBA ADVISES CUBAN AND WORLD PUBLIC OPINION OF
THE SUCCESSFUL SABOTAGE CARRIED OUT TODAY, THURSDAY, APRIL
22ND, AGAINST THE COMMUNIST CUBAN EMBASSY IN LISBON
PORTUGAL.

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" THIS PATRIOTIC SABOTAGE OPERATION WAS CALLED

'OPERATION FREE ANGOLA' IN TRIBUTE TO THE SUFFERING AND
HEROIC ANGOLAN NATION, VICTIM OF THE AFRICAN AMBITIONS
OF SOVIET IMPERIALISMS, AND THE BRUTAL SHAMELESS AND IM-
MORAL ARMED AGGRESSION OF OVER 12,00
CUBAN MERCENARY SOLDIERS, SENT BY THE BLOODY TYRANNY OF FIDEL
CASTRO.

"THIS GREAT ACT OF SABOTAGE TOOK PLACE AT 4:45 PM
TODAY, AND CREDIT BELONGS TO OUR MILITARY UNIT, 'COMMANDANTE
YAREY.'

"THIS EFFECTIVE AND VICTORIOUS ACTION HAS HALF
DESTROYED THE CASTRO EMBASSY AND CAUSED THE DEATH, AMONG
OTHER COMMUNISTS, OF THE KNOWN AGENT OF THE POLITICAL
POLICE OF THE TYRANNY (THE SHADOWY G-2), EFRAIN MONTEAGUDO.
THIS IS ONE MORE DEMONSTRATION OF THE REACH OF REVOLUTIONARY
JUSTICE BY THE CUBAN PEOPLE IN THEIR BATTLE AGAINST SOVIET
IMPERIALISM AND THE COMMUNIST DICTATORSHIP.

" IN PUBLISHING THIS COMMUNIQUE, THE SECRET ARMY OF
CUBA PROMISES THAT THIS WILL NOT BE THE LAST ACTIVITY, BUT
THE FIRST IN A LONG CHAIN OF ACTIVITIES WHICH WILL CULMIN-
ATE IN VICTORY FOR THE PEOPLE, AND A CRUSHING DEFEAT FOR
THE ENSLAVERS OF OUR PEOPLE.

"FATHERLAND FOR THE CUBANS, DEATH FOR THE TYRANTS.
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SECRET ARMY OF CUBA."

FBI, MIAMI, HAS NO INFO CONCERNING THE EXISTENCE OF
AN ANTI-CASTRO ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS EJERCITO SECRETO DE
CUBA (SECRET ARMY OF CUBA).

A MIAMI SOURCE, KNOWLEDGEABLE OF CUBAN ANTI-CASTRO
ACTIVITIES AND INDIVIDUALS, ADVISED ON JANUARY 8 AND FEBRUARY
26, 1975 THAT NAMES OF FICTITIOUS ORGANIZATIONS ACTS IN ORDER
TO CONFUSE THE FBI AND OTHER INVESTIGATIVE AGENCIES. UNQTE
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